

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Berka et al.

Serial No.: 09/482,788

Filed: January 13, 2000

Confirmation No: 7465

For: Methods for producing polypeptides in cyclohexadepsipeptide-deficient cells

AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application in response to the Office Action mailed **April 23, 2002**.

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action be extended for a period of 3 months from **July 24**, 2002 to **October 23**, 2002. The required fee for the extension is estimated to be \$890.00.

No additional claims fee is required.

Please charge the required extension and claims fees, estimated to be **\$890.00**, to Novozymes North America, Inc., Deposit Account No. 50-1701. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: October 23, 2002

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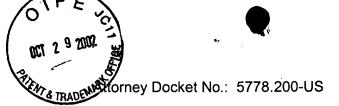
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Sir:

I hereby certify that the attached correspondence comprising:

- 1. Amendment Fee Transmittal (in duplicate)
- 2. Amendment
- 3. Notice of Appeal (in duplicate)

is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to:

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